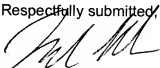


**REMARKS:**

Claims 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 12, and 13, are being amended to eliminate multiple dependent claims. No new matter has been introduced. Please incorporate these amendments prior to examination of the application.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michael E. Whitham', is written over the typed name.

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